

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:	)	Group Art Unit: 1621
	)	
Hampden-Smith et al.	)	Examiner: Timothy C. Vanoy
	)	
Serial No.: 10/723,424	)	<b>RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION</b>
	)	
Filed: November 26, 2003	)	
	)	
Confirmation No.: 6234	)	
	)	
Atty. File No.: 41890-01626	)	
	)	
For: "FUEL REFORMER CATALYST AND ABSORBENT MATERIALS"	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of September 11, 2006, with respect to the above-identified U.S. Patent Application.

Applicants do not believe that any extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 is required. However, if such an extension is required please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1419.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this letter.

**Remarks** begin at page 14 of this letter.